

The Avro Lancaster



Source: Britannica.com

The Avro Lancaster, commonly known as the 'Lancaster Bomber', was a four-engine heavy bomber.

The Lancaster could carry the largest bombs used by the RAF including 12,000 lb (5,400 kg) 'blockbusters'.

Seven crew members were needed for this plane; the pilot, flight engineer, navigator, wireless operator, bomb aimer and 2x gunners

The Engine:



The Rolls-Royce Merlin is a liquid-cooled V-12 piston aero engine of 1,800 hp (1,300 kW).

This is the same engine used in the Hanley Page Halifax bomber.

Source: en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rolls-Royce_Merlin



Merlin is a mythical magician featured in the legend of King Arthur.

He is also a character in the Harry Potter series.

Source: harrypotter.fandom.com/wiki/Merlin